TALLY-HO VERDICT: "ROAD GUILTY."

The Journal Correctly Placed Blame the Day After the Wreck.

Queens County Grand Jury Will Meet to Consider the Question of Indictments To-day.

We further say that the said Long Island Railroad was crimfnally negligent in not keeping in order the electric bell at said crossing.

depending on the circumstances in each par-ticular case. Provided, also, that no one is

deemed to have committed a crime by reason of the negligence of any servant or agent employed by him. Provided, also, that it must be shown that death not only follows,

That there was negligence here there can

The jury listened to the charge intently

R. De Freest, of the State Rallroad Com-

but is also caused by the neglect of duty.

T required only the time necessary to | culpable is a question of degree for the jury, do the writing for the Coroner's jury, sworn to investigate the terrible tallyho disaster at the Merrick road crossing on Decoration Day, to return this verdict, which completely bears out the posttion taken by the Journal since the day the accident occurred.

On the day following the accident, it will be remembered, the Journal made an exhanstive investigation into the case for the purpose of fixing the blame. It took as carefully as has the Coroner's fury since then the deposition of every witness to the accident who could be found, including nearly every one of those who had been in jured in the accident. Even the driver, Henry McCormack, was seen upon his couch of suffering in St. John's Hospital and his story of how the collision occurred reported verbatim.

Not only were the witnesses, whose testimony tended so plainly to show that the railroad company was at fault, interviewed, but the officials of the railroad, from Pres ident Baldwin to the station agent at Valley Stream, were quoted as carefully as if and then retired to make up its verdict they were being examined upon the wit. While the jury was out Secretary Charles

What the Electrician Found. An expert electrician was employed to way to the Odd Fellows' Hall when examine and report upon the condition in learned that a verdict was about to reached. He had come merely to hear remainder of the evidence in the case, a road crossing. This expert told how he had found the batteries newly supplied and every sign that the gong had been but recently repaired.

Later on the State Railroad Commission had sent Inspector Gatchell to the scene of the disaster and he made a report in which the rallroad was exonerated, because, according to his statement, the driver must at train 1,200 to 1,500 feet before it reached

When this report was given out by Prest. some little time o prove its assertions that the approaches tendered the verdict, which Coroner to the crossing were obscured by thick follage of trees, engaged a six-horse tally-ho, exactly like that on which the party of incrymakers met death on Decoration Day, and had it driven to the scene of the acci-

When this tally-ho had been put in place so that it occupied the same position as did the conch upon which the victims of the accident were seated, exact measurements were taken, which showed that the driver of the conch could not possibly have seen the approaching train until it was within eighty-four feet of the crossing.

condent and that she heard the enginghout his whistle as the engine passed post.

In the Ber. William M. Carr, of the St. has Methodist Church, at Hockville Central that he reached the scene of disaster about fifteen minutes after it occurred. The cocurred, the head had eard the gong ring for ravel train that came by that aftermoon et the accident and occurred. The resulting that he had made an effort source a witness named Andrew Linbeck, was said to know a great deal about needed in the second of th

For the Jury to Decide.

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Will Be Brought Back to Stand Trial for Assaulting His Wife.

Affidavit of a Servant Girl, Who Witnessed the Attack on the Delicate Woman.

The Grand Jury yesterday returned an she did indictment against Edward J. Ratcliffe, the actor, for assault in the second degree



Wife of Actor Ratcliffe, Who Is Indicted for Assaulting Her-She is the daughter of Peter De Lacey, the well-known bookmaker.

A detective left for Chicago last night to bring the actor back to this city. He is under arrest there for the alleged assault, said to have been committed on June 12. A servant makes affidavit that Ratcliffe choked and struck his wife and treated her most inhumanly.

the Exercises Held According to the Time-Honored Custom.

the crimson letter day of every senior at mitted in this city on June 12.

Harvard, to which the student looks for- As told in the Journal yesterday, Rat-

in line and marched to Appleton where Rev. Dr. Peabody offered and a short service followed. This woman to take a man back who treated

Receptions, Parades, Divine Worship and Detoctive McConville started for Chicago Cambridge, Mass., June 24.-Class Day, dicted. The assault was, it is alleged, com-

ward with greatest autopation as are chief, who was an actor of good appearenters college, and upon which his memory fondly dwells until his dying day, lawned for the class of 97, this morning, with a splendor of snushine that gave promise of the accomplishment of the most effectished hopes of the two hundred or more graduates. ogramme of the day varied only from that of the past fifty years Every senior was up very early, to 0 o'clock had arrayed himself p and gown, preparatory to we! and sisters or Mrs. Rateliffe, despite her father's remongraduating class thed to Appleton and decided to live with him again.

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child had lived perhaps he would have been liles, and nothing m better to her. She apparently rated him from the first at vastly more than he was

On June 12 he returned home at 6:30 p. place m. The rest of the story is told by the affidavits of the servant and the doctor Two c now attending Mrs. Radeliffe.

What a Servant Saw. The affidavit of Katle Malloy, the servant girl of the Rutcliffes, says: "I reside at No. 104 West Seventy-sev-

by Edward J. Ratcliffe and his wife, Alice Ratcliffe, at No. 160 West Eightieth street. A CHAPTER OF BRUTALITY. Rateliffe came into the apartment and found fault with Mrs. Rateliffe for not have

In his affidavit Dr. Frederick A. Lyons, of No. 50 East Sixty-third street, says: "On

What the Husband Says. Chicago, Ill., June 24.-Edward J. Rat-

No Sympathy in Chicago. The Chicago papers, apparently volcing "A the sentiments expressed by theatrical per

SINGERS MAY NOT LEAVE. "But labor is beginning to expect this treatment from McKinley," he aded. "He

the Saengerbung.

Philadelphia, June 24.—It appears now that the New York and Brooklyn societies will be induced to remain in the Northeastern Saengerbund. The dissatisfied societies included the Arion, Liederkranz, and possibly Beethoven Macmarchor, of New York, and the Arion, of Brooklyn.

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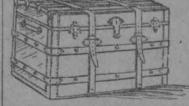
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President Karrick, of the Painters' Union, Adds That It Was Only to Be Expected.

Pittsburg, June 24.—'It's as though Mc-Kinley spat in the face of labor," said National President M. P. Karrick, of the Painters' Union, when he read in the Journal that the Administration had slated T. V. Powderly for the position of Immi-gration Commissioner at Ellis Island.

has been attended by Dr. Lyons."

The New York and Brooklyn Societies Have has been attended by Dr. Lyons."

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